

Indiana Public Welfare collection L196

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Summary Information

Repository	Rare Books and Manuscripts
Creator	Indiana. Department of Public Welfare.
Title	Indiana Public Welfare collection
Date	1847-1961
Extent	0.5 Cubic feet 1 manuscript box
Language	English

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Administrative History

The Indiana Public Welfare Act of 1936 made Indiana eligible to receive grants-in-aid from the federal government for aid to the aged, the blind, and dependent children. The General Assembly established the State Department of Public Welfare to supervise the programs. Additionally, the duties and responsibilities formerly delegated to the Board of State Charities were transferred to the new state department.

Scope and Contents

This collection includes correspondence, reports, articles, and organizational histories from the Indiana Department of Public Welfare, previously Indiana State Board of Charities, ranging from 1847 to 1964 regarding charity work and welfare topics.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged by subject.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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Conditions Governing Access

This collection is open for research.

Conditions Governing Use

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Custodial History

This collection was received by Rare Books and Manuscripts as a donation.

Accruals

No further additions are expected.

Processing Information

Collection processing completed 2015/06/03 by Brent Abercrombie. EAD finding aid created 2015/06/04 by Brent Abercrombie.

Related Materials

Related Archival Material

Materials relating to this collection may be found in the following collections in Rare Books and Manuscripts, Indiana State Library, Indianapolis, IN:

L25, V450: Amos W. Butler collection

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- Indiana Association of County Welfare Directors.
- Indiana. Board of State Charities.

Personal Name(s)

- Butler, Amos W. (Amos William), 1860-1937
- Dix, Dorothea Lynde, 1802-1887
- Nicholson, Timothy, 1828-1924
- Rodgers, Helen

Subject(s)

- Charities--Indiana.
- Correspondence
- Minutes (Records)
- Philanthropy
- Social problems--Indiana
- Social reformers--Indiana

Collection Inventory

	Box	Folder
Dorothea Dix report and State Board of Charities correspondence, 1848-1940, undated	1	1
Indiana State Board of Charities organizational history, undated	1	2
Indiana Public Welfare history up to 1938, undated	1	3
Amos W. Butler letters and reports, 1892-1916, undated	1	4
Indiana Association of County Directors papers, 1942-1961	1	5
Indiana Association of County Welfare board members and programs, 1960-1964, undated	1	6
Articles, undated	1	7
Amos Butler, Timothy Nicholson, and Helen Rodgers correspondence, 1918, 1922	1	8